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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Official Action of December 4, 2002,. Applicants
respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the
following remarks.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.